

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>MAIL STOP RCE</b>
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Tadayuki Sugimoto et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2625
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Application No.: 10/730,935	)	Examiner: Mark R. Milia
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Filed: December 10, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 7142
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For: IMAGE FORMING DEVICE, IMAGE	)	
FORMING PROGRAM, COMPUTER	)	
READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM	)	
ON WHICH THE PROGRAM IS	)	
RECORDED, AND IMAGE	)	
FORMING METHOD	)	

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 27, 2009 and the August 26, 2009 telephone interview with Examiner Milia, and upon entry of the attached Request for Continued Examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.